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ANGRY BOARDER PUTS DYNAMITE MINE UNDER BED

When Told to Leave He Attempts to Blow Up Man and Woman Who Sheltered Him When He Was Out of Employment

CAP PULLS OUT AND PLOT IS FRUSTRATED

Two Sticks of High Explosive Fail to Go Off From Detonation; Hole Bored in Floor, With Fuse in Cellar

Only the intervention of a trivial accident Saturday night saved Katsuge Yamasaka and his wife and child, residents of Wahiawa, from a horrible death and frustrated a plot, as fiendish as any ever invented by the author of a moving-picture drama, which Sokichi Seto, say the police, planned and endeavored to carry through to revenge himself on the couple for being ejected from their house. All of the people are Japanese.

Seto has been boarding with the Yamasakas at their home in Wahiawa and like his landlord worked on a pineapple plantation. Recently Seto has been loafing and has paid no board, so he was asked to leave the house Saturday afternoon.

In an attempt to revenge himself he crept into the home Saturday while the occupants were away and planted a dynamite mine to destroy them, charge the authorities who are seeking him. Placing two sticks of high power dynamite under the mattress where the couple and their little baby sleep, he bored a hole in the floor and dropped a long fuse into the cellar. Some time Saturday night, probably after the Yamasakas and their baby had dropped to sleep, he went into the cellar and lit the use.

Left House in Terror.
Half an hour later the family were almost blown out of bed by an explosion and both were badly bruised. They ran from the house in terror, but returned a few moments later and lifted the torn mattress from the floor to see what had caused the explosion.

They found beneath the bed the two sticks of dynamite intact, and one exploded concussion cap. Investigation by Detective McDuffie proved that before Seto lit the fuse which he thought was the signal for the death of the Yamasaka family, the cap had slipped from the hole in the dynamite where it is always placed. Only the cap exploded beneath the sleepers.

Caps used in exploding dynamite have a high explosive power and even this served to badly shock the intended victims. Would Have Wrecked Home.

Had the cap remained fixed in the dynamite the entire house and its occupants would have been blown to pieces and no evidence would have remained that Seto was the murderer.

The Japanese man and woman told the detectives that they were sure Seto planned their death, because when they told him they could not keep him longer in their home he threatened them and during Saturday afternoon they saw him lurking near their place several times.

McDuffie attributes the slipping of the cap from the hole in the dynamite hollowed out by Seto's knife to the weight of the fuse, which hung into the cellar and rested on the floor. As long as the weight was on the floor, the cap probably remained in place, but when the fuse burned upward and the weight was thrown on the cap, the cap was dragged out and exploded almost two feet from the dynamite.

Seto has not yet been found by the police. He is described as a man 50 years of age, 4 feet 10 inches tall, has a crooked neck and cannot see his right eye. It is thought impossible for him to escape.

ONE JAPANESE SHOTS ANOTHER; AMERICAN FLAG A CAUSE OF QUARREL

(Special Star-Bulletin Wire.)
HILO, Nov. 29.—Oshiro Kane, Okinawan, Japanese, yesterday afternoon shot another Japanese, Ouchi, twice, after a row about the coronation ceremony in which the American flag was flown on an arch. One bullet went through the man's mouth and lodged in the back of his neck, the other into the thigh. The gunman made his escape and is still at large. He is the editor of a paper in the Okinawan dialect. The wounded man may live.

Owing to the fact that some members of the harbor board cannot be present at a meeting called tonight at 7:30 o'clock the meeting has been postponed until the same time tomorrow night.

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GOVERNOR DECLINES TO JOIN HENRY FORD ON "PEACE SHIP"

"Suggest Your Pilgrims Induce Founder of The Hague and His Steel Protesges to Cease Profiting By War," Cables Pinkham

Governor Pinkham emphatically and crisply declines to be the guest of Henry Ford, auto manufacturer and peace advocate, on Ford's pacifist voyage to Europe.

On Saturday the governor received from Ford the following invitation to be one of the passengers on the "Peace Ship":

"Hon. Lucius E. Pinkham, Honolulu.
"Men and women of our country, representing all its ideals and activities, leave New York December 4 aboard peace ship Oscar II, proceeding to Norway, Sweden, Copenhagen and The Hague to arrange international peace conference for continuous mediation. Accommodations provided from The Hague for your return home. Impossible to determine exact time of pilgrimage, probably six weeks. Europe cries out to you. Will you join us? Wire me immediately, Hotel Biltmore, New York, when full information will be forwarded."
"HENRY FORD."

Today the governor cabled the following reply:
"Henry Ford, Hotel Biltmore, New York.
"Unlawful for me to absent myself from this Mid-Pacific outpost of the United States of America. For us complete preparedness first. We are isolated 2100 miles at sea, and trust our own and country's strength and conscience, not others' good will. Suggest your pilgrims induce the founder of The Hague and his steel protesges cease profiting by war and recollect The Hague money is armor plate money."
"LUCIUS E. PINKHAM,
"Governor of Hawaii."

Associated Press despatches say that none of the states is to be represented by its governor or any high official, all of the governors who have been invited having declined to accept, giving various reasons. A despatch last night said, however, that so many pacifists were accepting Mr. Ford's invitation that he may need two peace ships to take them all to the war-zone.

FIVE MORE BOYS MAKE ESCAPE AT REFORM SCHOOL

Two Soon Recaptured; Break Came Under Eyes of Guards and Instructors

RINGLEADERS ARE BEING SENT TO JAIL IN CITY

Five youngsters at the Boys' Industrial School, Wahiawa, at 6 o'clock last evening seized an opportunity to break from their guards, ran like deer away from the school grounds and into the underbrush of the localities and added another larceny to the already carried by Principal H. M. Tucker and his school staff. Only two had been caught up to this afternoon.

The escape follows the serious mutiny of November 21, when 54 of the boys broke from detention and tried to escape. Forty-eight were caught soon after, three within a short time and three others later in the week.

Last night's escape was undoubtedly one of the results of a deep-seated spirit of mutiny apparent at the industrial school, for which various causes are assigned and which came to its first big climax in the wholesale escape of November 21. Those who have looked into the condition of affairs at the reform school are convinced that this spirit, far from being quelled, is raging more fiercely than ever under the surface and that further outbreaks are likely at any time.

The escapes of last evening came just after the boys had finished their Sunday evening meal and were lining up to march into the school room, where they had been assembled during the afternoon, wet weather having caused Principal Tucker to order the boys indoors. The line of about 135 boys, grouped roughly into ranks of three abreast, were coming from the dining-rooms in charge of two of the instructors and two guards. Principal Tucker, who, during the day had been keeping close watch of the rest less lads, had been called away a few paces and was standing talking to two visitors. It was getting dark as the lads started to march from one building to the other the five suddenly leaped from the line and dashed off into the dusk with the guards in full pursuit and the principal assisting them.

Fifteen minutes later the first of the truants, a Japanese, was caught.

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HESITATES OVER CITIZENSHIP FOR FILIPINOS HERE

The question of whether the naturalization laws of the United States were intended to include natives of the Philippine Islands as well as "free white persons and persons of African descent or nativity," has cropped out in the local federal court again, and Judge Sanford B. Dole has taken the matter under advisement.

A petition for naturalization was filed in federal court last Saturday by Marcos Solis, a native of the Philippines, who was honorably discharged from the United States navy. Solis filed his petition under the clause in the naturalization law which provides that honorably discharged soldiers and sailors need not have their names posted for 90 days prior to the hearing of the petition.

As some courts have refused to naturalize Filipinos, Judge Dole took the matter under advisement. The case will come up again at 10 o'clock next Saturday morning.

ROSE WILL PAY SOME ATTENTION TO GRAND JURY

Sheriff Refuses to Comment on Report on Jail Probe; Will Not Outline Action

MAYOR LANE WILLING TO LET MATTER DROP

"Yes, of course I'll pay some attention to the grand jury report," said Sheriff C. H. Rose this morning. "Any report is worth some attention. I think I know what the grand jury wants done."

The sheriff absolutely refused to comment, and when the opinion was ventured in his presence that the report did not lead anywhere and appeared not to either exonerate or blame him, he sat back with a half-smile and looked at the speaker. But he would not venture any opinion.

However, it was learned from other sources at headquarters that the report is regarded as rather satisfactory to the police department and jail officials, who consider it an exoneration, and say it was just what they expected.

Sheriff Rose declines to say whether or not he will put into effect the recommendation of the grand jury concerning restricting jail visitors to persons having passes issued from his office.

No further investigation of conditions at the county jail is likely to be promoted by either Mayor Lane or any of the supervisors. The mayor stated today that he is willing to take the word of the grand jury as final in the matter.

"When a body of this nature makes decision I question after careful investigation it is not up to us to go further, even if we thought there were grounds for it," says the mayor. "For my part I am satisfied with the report and believe it is sufficient."

Supervisor Robert Horner says that so far as he is concerned nothing will be done further in the matter by the police committee of which he is chairman.

"I have all the faith in the world in the personnel of the grand jury, and when the members make a report on some question which they have been investigating I am willing to let it abide," he says.

"Men on the jury have given careful study and much time to this investigation, and what are we supervisors that we should question them?"

DEPRECIATION OF TRANSIT 50 PER CENT—GERE

Rapid Transit & Land Company, not including the real estate, has depreciated in value to the extent of 51 1/2 per cent since the organization of the company, is the opinion of Giles H. Gere, superintendent of the Bishop Estate and former city and county engineer, according to testimony given by him this morning during the trial of the territory's injunction suit against the Rapid Transit.

Mr. Gere was called as a witness for the territory, the entire morning having been given over to a series of questions on direct examination. The conclusions upon which he based his opinion, he said, were reached from authorities and also from a personal investigation and inspection of the various units of the Rapid Transit's system. Mr. Gere was to be cross-examined by the Rapid Transit attorneys this afternoon.

ALL POLAND STRICKEN BY FAMINE

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS ARE HOMELESS, SUFFERING; SERB CAMPAIGN DRAWING TO CLOSE

WINTER SHUTS DOWN OVER BALKANS, WITH ALLIES TRY- ING TO REINFORCE—GERMANS ANNOUNCE THEIR OB- JECT IS ACHIEVED WITH OPENING OF COMMUNICATION WITH TURKEY—REPORT GREECE GIVES PARTIAL AS- SENT TO LATEST TEXT OF ENTENTE DEMANDS

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless]
WARSAW, Poland, Nov. 29.—War's frightful devastation in Poland, occupied alternately by the Russians and Germans, has brought a great famine to the country. With the northern winter closing down on the ravaged countryside, hundreds of thousands of homeless civilians are suffering from a shortage of food. Thousands are actually dead and thousands of others are dying.

A large part of the country suffered from the invasions of the Germans, which preceded the Russian successes in Galicia. After this the Russians reoccupied this section, then in the great Russian retreat the Germans again swept over the land, taking Warsaw and other important cities. After the country had been twice fought over the Russians in the last retreat burned everything as they went. It is estimated that the Slav armies burned 4000 villages in order to lay barren the country and prevent the German armies from finding any subsistence or shelter.

The suffering victims of the ravaging armies are living in rude huts and abandoned trenches. Many have emigrated to Germany to escape the famine. Food prices, already very high, are constantly rising.

Hope Winter Will Aid The Allies

LONDON, England, Nov. 29.—The military experts of the Allies are hoping that with the coming of winter in the Balkans they will have time to send sufficient reinforcements to the new front before the Germans, Austrians and Bulgarians can consolidate the positions they have won from the defeated Serbs. The Allies are landing large numbers of men every day at Saloniki and hurrying them to the front, in the hope of preventing the Teutons from organizing a new battle-line, making winter quarters and presenting a solid front.

The remainder of the Serb forces and the new Russian army, billeting at Odessa are counted upon to cooperate with the French and British.

The fate of Monastir, the principal town of southern Serbia, is obscure. Some reports say that it has fallen, others that it is still holding out.

In the north the Serbians are cut into two parts. One part is retreating into Albania, the other into Montenegro, both hotly pursued by the Teutons.

Teuton Submarines Getting Vessels

LONDON, England, Nov. 29.—The French steamer *Algerie* has been sunk and 29 of the crew are missing.

The British steamer *Tania* has also been sunk but announcement is made that all of the crew were saved.

MARSEILLES, France, Nov. 29.—The French steamer *Omara* has been sunk by a submarine. It is feared that 20 of the crew have been lost.

Report Greece Yielding To Demands

LONDON, England, Nov. 29.—It is reported here that Greece has replied to the new note of the Entente Powers, giving a definite text of their demands. The reply is said to be a promise of compliance with all of the demands which do not threaten her neutrality.

Canadian Wheat Order Causes Jump

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 29.—As a result of the government order commandeering the bulk of the Canadian wheat crop, wheat has jumped sharply in the market. The order taking 20,000,000 bushels for war supply purposes has caused a rise already of from two and one-half to two and five-eighths.

Kitchener In Paris, Given Ovation

PARIS, France, Nov. 29.—Lord Kitchener, the British secretary of state for war, arrived here today from Italy. He was given a tremendous ovation, soldiers home from the front and those preparing to join the colors participating in a huge demonstration. The people also joined in the ovation.

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NEGRO CONVICT TO HANG; KILLED WIFE OF WARDEN

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 29.—Joseph Campbell, the negro convict who has been on trial for the murder of Mrs. Maizie Allen, wife of former Warden Allen of the state penitentiary here, was today found guilty by the jury and will be hanged. Warden Allen had instituted the "honor system" in the penitentiary. His wife was found dead and mutilated in bed in the warden's quarters, the room on fire. The evidence in the case was circumstantial, there being several men who were believed to know something of the murder. The weight of evidence pointed to Campbell.

GERMANY SAYS ROAD TO TURKEY IS FORCED OPEN

The following cablegram from official German sources was received today:
"German Headquarters Report, Nov. 29.—The Serbian campaign is now successfully ended. Nearly half of the Serbian army has been taken prisoner, as stated by the Headquarters report of Nov. 28, which reads:
"The flight of the scant remnants of the Serbian army into the Albanian mountains brings the campaign against this army to a successful end."
"The first aim of the campaign was to open free communication with Bulgaria."
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PHILIPPINES TO BE FOUGHT OVER BY CONGRESSMEN

REPUBLICANS, LED BY CONGRESS- MAN MILLER, TO LAUNCH AT- TACK ON ADMINISTRATION

GRAFT AND MISRULE
AMONG HOT CHARGES

G. O. P. Investigators Say Cor- rupt Men Are Shielded By Democratic Politics

Republicans of Honolulu have heard with interest a story from Washington of a big fight expected to develop within a few weeks in Congress over the Philippine question. Congressman C. B. Miller of Minnesota, well-known here, will probably lead the fight, and graft and misrule are to be charged in specific terms, it is understood.

President Wilson's policies will be under fire. Congressman Miller has made two trips to the Philippines since the present administration took hold, with Governor-General Harrison in the executive chair. Mr. Miller's latest investigation was made last summer, and on his return he gave local newspaper interviewers some hint of the congressional sensation that might be launched.

Advices from Washington say that the administration is preparing to press against the enactment of the Jones Philippine Independence bill, which was passed by the house in the last Congress but sidetracked in the senate when the Democratic majority found itself embarrassed by the evidence of the present trustees of the Philippines for self-government.

As a result of recent revelations of the alleged demoralization in the Philippines produced by Democratic rule and efforts to demonstrate the capacity of the Filipinos for self-government, the opposition of the Jones measure will be presented.

Several Republican members of Congress have been in the Philippines this year gathering evidence of the scandals of misgovernment which have been suppressed by the administration censorship. The administration

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DEMOCRATS GATHERING FOR CONGRESS OPENING



Above—Senator John W. Kern of Indiana. Below—Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois.

NEW ORDINANCE TO PUT STOP TO BAD FISH SALES

Supervisor Ahia Finds That Shocking Conditions Pre- vail and Plans Remedy

Supervisor William Ahia, chairman of the committee on sanitation and health, is out after fish peddlers who are working off old and decayed fish upon their customers.

Ahia has an amendment to the fish ordinance now under the scrutiny of the city attorney's department which will come up for reading at the meeting on Thursday night probably, or at least in the near future.

In his rounds as chairman of the sanitation committee Ahia has come upon sights which are revolting. He has seen fish being sold when in a state of decay which rendered them unfit enough to allow a finger to be thrust through them.

"I know positively," Ahia says, "that there are quite a number of fish vendors about town who are taking home fish that they have left over at night then going down after fresh fish in the morning to take home and mix with the stale ones. After this all of the fish are put on the market together."

It is this practice that the chairman of the sanitation committee is trying to abolish. To do so he will insist in his ordinance upon a careful counting of fish at the time they are purchased, when they are offered for sale, and also the number left over at the end of the day.

Must Label Leftovers.

Some of the special points of the ordinance are as follows:
"All fish left unsold by any peddler or at any market, at 6 o'clock p. m. on the evening of any day shall be inspected by the fish inspector, and if found in proper condition may be placed in cold storage. Such fish on being again offered for sale shall be labeled, 'Left Fish.'"

"All fish and other marine products offered for sale in the district of Honolulu, city and county of Honolulu, shall, before being exposed or offered for sale either by peddlers or at any market, be inspected by the fish inspector at some place in the city of Honolulu, of which place the city and county physician shall give public notice."

"The fish inspector shall issue to each peddler or vender of fish a certificate stating the time at which such

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YUAN'S FORMER WAR MINISTER IS MURDERED

Tuan Chi Jiu Recently Quit Cabinet Because He Opposed Plans for Monarchy

(Special Cable to Nippu Jiji)
TOKIO, Japan, Nov. 29.—A despatch from Peking states that former Minister of War Tuan Chi Jiu of the Chinese Republic has been assassinated. No details reached here, and the murderer has not yet been apprehended.

Tuan Chi Jiu recently resigned from the Chinese cabinet when Yuan Shih-Kai decided to try to become emperor. A second Peking despatch states that Yuan Shih-Kai has officially announced that 15 provinces declared in favor of a monarchy in the recent election. As there are 18 provinces in China it is taken that Yuan's announcement means a unanimous vote in his favor.

OPENING SESSION OF JAPANESE DIET TODAY

(Special Cable to Hawaii Shimpou)
TOKIO, Japan, Nov. 29.—The Imperial Diet will open here today. Emperor Yoshihito will be present at the opening session. The session promises to be stormy, and the opposition has announced its intention of a bitter opposition to a number of government measures.

FIRE AT CATALINA

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 29.—A disastrous fire today destroyed several hotels in the business section of Avalon, Catalina island.